THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

RANSMITTAL LETTER (Large Entity)

mber:09/985,879

Group Art Unit: 2176

Filed: November 6, 2001

Examiner Name: TRAN, Quoc A.

2/16/A

Applicant: Nardone

Attorney Docket Number: 20-559

TITLE: SYSTEM FOR A CONFIGURABE OPEN DATABSE CONNECTING CONDUIT

Total Number of Pages in this Submission: 22

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS P.O. BOX 1450 **ALEXANDRIA, VA 22313-1450**

SIR:

Transmitted herewith are an amendment in the above-identified application (22 Pages)

The fee has been calculated and is transmitted as shown below.

CLAIMS AS AMENDED					
	CLAIMS	HIGHEST #	# OF		ADDITIONAL
	REMAINING	PREV. PAID	EXTRA	RATE	FEE
	AFTER Amendment	FOR	CLAIMS		
Total Claims	57	45	12	x \$50=	\$ 600.00
Independent Claims	8	5	3	x \$200=	\$ 600.00
Multiple Dependent				x \$360=	
Claim(s), if applicable				x \$300-	
		TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE:			\$1200.00

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees required under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 or any patent application processing fees under 37 C.F.R. 1.17 associated with this communication, or credit any over payment to Deposit Account No. 50-0687 under Order No. 20-559.

Respectfully submitted,

William H. Bollman Reg. No.: 36,457

Attorney for Applicant(s)

Date: December 10, 2004

Manelli Denison & Selter PLLC 2000 M Street, NW Suite 700 Washington, DC 20036-3307 (202) 261-1020

Serial No.: **09/985,879**Filed: **November 6, 2001**Group Art Unit: **2176**

Examiner: Tran, Quoc A

Atty Docket No.: 20-559

IN RE PATENT APPLICATION OF:

NARDONE

TITLE: SYSTEM FOR A CONFIGURABLE OPEN DATABASE CONNECTING CONDUIT

December 10, 2004

AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action dated September 10, 2004, please enter the following amendments and remarks in the subject application:

12/13/2004 NNGUYEN1 00000049 09985879

01 FC:1201 02 FC:1202 600.00 OP 600.00 OP